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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97, as revised on February 4, 1992, 1135 OG 23-24, Applicant hereby calls the Examiner's attention to documents listed on the attached form, which documents may be material to the examination of this application. Copies of the references are enclosed herewith for the Examiner's consideration.

No inference should be drawn that the attached list sets forth a comprehensive investigation of the prior art, that any or all are pertinent to the invention, or that any apparatus disclosed is equivalent to the subject invention.

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A first office action, notice of allowance or issue fee notification has not been received in this case, so Applicant does not believe that a fee is due. However, if any such fee is required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50/1039.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE
	6,538,390 B2	03/25/03	Fujita et al	315	169.3	07/19/01
	6,599,783 B2	07/29/03	Takatoku	438	148	05/24/01
	6,692,845 B2	02/17/04	Maruyama et al	428	690	05/10/01
	6,720,572 B2	04/13/04	Jackson et al	257	40	06/23/00

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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#### OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

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